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Dear Sir:

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Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page) (in duplicate); and
- (3) Response To Non-Final Office Action (16 pages).

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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated May 12, 2004, having a shortened statutory period expiring on August 12, 2004. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the amendments and remarks set forth below.

Amendments to the Specification. No Amendments to the Specification are presented in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims. No Amendments to the Claims are presented in this papers. However, a current listing of the claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings. No Amendments to the Drawings are presented in this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.